

RESOLUTION NO. _____

A RESOLUTION OF THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, ACCEPTING THE RECOMMENDATION OF THE NEIGHBORHOOD/COMMUNITY AFFAIRS COMMITTEE AND AUTHORIZING THE CITY MANAGER TO EXPAND THE CAREGIVER PARKING PROGRAM.

WHEREAS, the City's Parking Department currently offers a Caregiver parking permit to residents within restricted residential parking zones and the program allows for parking privileges to authorized caregivers to park within each of the City's residential parking zones; and

WHEREAS, an affidavit from the resident's physician is required to attain this parking privilege for the resident's caregiver and a Caregiver permit is valid for six (6) months for \$25.00 fee; and

WHEREAS, the Senior Affairs Committee has requested that the Parking Department offer options for residents of senior housing facilities needing caregiver parking in areas with commercial parking regulations (municipal metered parking lots and garages); and

WHEREAS, the Parking Department proposed to expand the Caregiver Program to be honored at certain metered parking lots and garages (see attached map depicting senior housing facilities and corresponding parking facility) near those senior housing facilities under the same terms as for the existing Caregiver parking program; and

WHEREAS, on November 26, 2018, the Senior Affairs Committee held their regularly scheduled meeting and the proposed expansion of the Caregiver Program was discussed and the Committee approved the following motion:

"Motion to urge the Mayor and Commission to allow for caregivers parking located near the senior centers at metered parking lots and garages."; and

WHEREAS, at the December 12, 2018 City Commission meeting, the Mayor and Commission approved a referral to the NCAC to discuss the item; and

WHEREAS, on December 14, 2018, the Neighborhood/Community Affairs Committee discussed the item and approved a motion recommending the expansion of the caregiver program to municipal parking lots and garages.

NOW, THEREFORE, BE IT DULY RESOLVED BY THE MAYOR AND CITY COMMISSION OF THE CITY OF MIAMI BEACH, FLORIDA, that the Mayor and City Commission hereby accept the recommendation of the Neighborhoods/Community Affairs Committee regarding the proposed expansion of the Caregiver Program to be honored at certain municipal parking lot and garages and authorize the City Manager to expand the Caregiver parking program as set forth herein.

PASSED and ADOPTED this 16th day of January, 2019.

ATTEST:

Rafael E. Granado, City Clerk

Dan Gelber, Mayor

APPROVED AS TO
FORM & LANGUAGE
& FOR EXECUTION

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City Attorney